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TEXAS PRESS 20° THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1992

Watson Junior High Dedication Held

around muleshoe

At press time no arrest had been made in the alleged assult of a young Muleshoe woman Friday night.

Becky Flores, 11 year old daughter of Tammy Flores, remains in Surgical ICU at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

She was struck by a vehicle as she and two other youths were attempting to cross west highway 84 Friday night on their way to skating.

Boy Scout Pack 620 will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday, February 25 at the Methodist Church. The Webelos will give the opening ceremony. Nick Black will give a Magic

Show for entertainment. The scouts will advance by dens. The Webelos will graduate.

All scouts are reminded to be sure to turn in your basketball lists.

February is American Heart Month and the Bailey County Division of the American Heart Association will hold their Annual Radio Day and Auction Saturday, February 15 from 6 a.m. to 3 p.m.

During these hours, a long list of items will be auctioned to the highest pip

A group of seven Muleshoe High School and Junior High School students, accompanied by Muleshoe ISD sponsors Rachel Pineda and Beatrice Garcia, attended a Life Management Skills Retreat at Floydada on February 7,8 an 9.

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On January 30, Mary Hicks, city

secretary, was one of eighteen

people who graduated from the

Texas Municipal Clerks Cert-

ification program conducted at the

Each graduate spent approximat-

ely 200 hours of individual home

study on a four-course curriculum,

in addition to attending eight two-

day seminars, accounting for 130

more hours of classroom study.

The curriculum, which includes

carefully selected texts on a variety

of subjects and a number of special

readings, offers instruction on such

topics as pubic administration,

election law, budgeting and finance,

municipal law, and personnel

The Certification Program offered

at the University of North Texas, the only university-level profes-

sional education program for city

clerks and secretaries in Texas, is the third oldest of thirty-three such

programs in the country. The

program was also selected in 1984, by the College Board as one of

sixty-four exemplary professional development programs in the

adopted H.B. 2092 which gives

State sanction to the Program and

provides that a certificate shall be

issued to each person "who succes-

The 69th Texas Legislature

mana-gement.

United States.

University of North Texas.

NEW SCIENCE AND COMPUTER LABS .-- Sandi Chitwood (left) shows a rock collection in the new science lab at Watson Junior High Sunday afternoon. Tyson and Derik Purdy, (right) checkout the computers.

(Journal Photo)

In the managers report, Hubert

Kidd stated that the Cellular oper-

ation continues to grow, in the

second month it passed the 2,000

customers. He expressed his appre-

ciation to the employees, board

members, the high school, Channel

6, West Texas Ranger, the Journals

for. Chester Embry won the 20

Lloyd Beaty, hind quarter of beef;

Alvis C. Williams, two tickets to

The Biggest Little Banquet in

Texas; Sean Mason, two tickets to

The Biggest Little Banquet in

Texas; Bill Dolley, dinner for four

at Connie's Place; Shelly Mason,

The board of trustees of the Mule-

shoe Independent School District

met at 4:30 p.m. Monday,

February 10 in the Administration

Cindy Purdy called the meeting to

order and the board went into

executive session. Following the

executive session the board

Administration building. Mrs.

Purdy called the meeting to order

and recognized the visitors and

Betty Cowan was presented the

February Support Staff of the

Month Award. In making the

presentation, Bill Moore,

superintendent, stated," this award

goes to a lady who has been

employed by the Muleshoe

Independent School District for the

The board reconvened in the

adjourned until 7:30 p.m.

school officials.

Betty Cowen February

Support Staff Recipient

A number of prizes were drawn

Other winners included: Mrs.

and the State Line Tribune.

in hRCA color TV

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Seales, Layman Re-elected To 5-Area Board Of Directors

that out of 23 cooperatives, only

two have restrictions on the

number of years a director can

serve, and Five Area is one of

The directors felt that they could

better serve the cooperative if there

were no limitations to the number

of years they could serve. It was

also pointed out that the directors

serve without pay, only travel ex-

member spoke in opposition of the

amendment. He stated that he felt

serving on the board was respon-

sible for his success, and he felt the

opportunity to serve on the board

should be passed around to other

was dispensed with. It was said that

it cost the cooperative more to keep

up with the money than it benefits

the cooperative. The cooperative

that of allowing the board of

directors to appoint the nominating

committee (one from each of the

three year term were: Don Seales,

District one, Lariat Exchange, and

L.W. Layman, District three, Laz-

Directors re-elected for another

Another amendment passed was

has a total of 1243 members.

seven districts).

buddie Exchange.

The five dollar membership fee

Richard Black, a former board

A large crowd, including 145 registered voters, gathered in the high school cafeteria Saturday morning for Five Area Telephone's annual meeting. Bob Foley, president of the board of directors called the meeting to order at 10 a.m.

The invocation was given by Kirby Burch, director, and Don Seales, director, led the crowd in the pledge of allegiance.

A financial report was given by Wade Wilson, representative of Bolinger, Segare, Gilbert and Moss of Lubbock. In giving his report, he stated that Five Area was a sound cooperative and a lot of cooperatives would like to be this sound. He also stated that in spite of the economy Five Area had a good year last year.

Hubert Kidd, manager of Five Area, introduced Johnny Atkinson, Five Area's attorney. Atkinson explained the By-Law changes and proposals, that were to be voted on. He stated that the By-Laws were 40 to 42 years old and needed to be amended for the good of the coop-

All of the amendments, with the

exception of one was passed. The only one to be defeated was that of the length of time a member could serve as a director. At the present time a director can only serve a limit of 12 years. It was explained

sfully completes the program."

The response of city govern-

ments to the training offered by the

Certification Program is positive;

the cities continue to commit a

great deal of released time and travel

expense, which attests strongly to

the timeliness and quality of the

program. Further, the achievements

of city secretaries who have

graduated from the program are

recognized by the city council, the

citizens of the communities, and by

those who evaluate municipalities

for industry location, agencies, etc.

MARY HICKS

Layman has been a director six years. He and his wife, Jo Nell, live and farm in the Dodd area. **Hicks Graduates From** southeast of Lazbuddie

Seales has been a director for nine years and he and his wife, Municipal Clerks Program Laura, live and farm west of

Other members of the board of directors include: Bob Foley, president, eleven years in District five, Maple Exchange; Billy Tiller, director five years, District six, Bula Exchange; Mickey Sowder, four years, Needmore Exchange; Ernest W. Trull, one year, District seven, Lehman Exchange; and Kirby Burch, one year, District two, Lazbuddie Exchange.

Comprehensive

Education

Services Offered

The Muleshoe Independent School District provides comprehensive education services for handicapped children living in the district, and these services include the Speech and Language Therapy program. This is provided through the Department of Special Education because it is a special service of the school.

On out of every ten Americans experiences speech and language disorders. These disorders interfere with normal communication and may vary in severity. Students may qualify for therapy with one or more of the following problems: stuttering, voice disorders, poor speech and language skill, and/or

Library , Computer, Science Labs Dedicated Grades six, seven and eight attended

A large crowd gathered in the gym of Elizabeth B.Watson Junior High School Sunday afternoon for dedication ceremonies for the addition of the new library, science and computer labs, as well as the painting of the gym. Following the dedication, an open house was con-

The Foreman Company

Curtis Shelburne, secretary of the School Board, gave the invocation. Members of the School Board, Cindy Purdy, Sam Harlan, Curtis Shelburne, Max King, Edwin Cox and Frank Saldana, were introduced by Bill Moore, Superintendent of Schools. He also introduced past members of the board who were

Moore introduced Elizabeth Watson stating, "Elizabeth is well known state wide as an outstanding educator and Muleshoe is fortunate to have her."

In her Dedicatory Address, Mrs. Watson asked everyone to picture in their mind the block at DeShazo, the Muleshoe ISD was a district with two buildings located on the one block where Mary DeShazo is now located. She stated that grade school, grades one through eight faced east and the high school grades 9-12 faced the west, when she began teaching in MISD some fifty years ago. "We used the American Legion Hall, which was where the Public Library is now, as a lunch room," Mrs. Watson continued. "We walked the children to lunch through all kinds of weather, rain, and sand.

"Later a first grade building was built on the south side of this

Consolidation began in 1947-48, bringing in rural school students, before the buildings were built.

a native of Tulia. Bette graduated

from Muleshoe High School in

1941, and married Harold Cowan

that same year. They have four

children-Tracy Ellis of Friona; Kim

Hinton of Hot Springs, Ark; Leslie

Dale of Muleshoe; and Doug

The Cowans have ten

"Nominations for this award

came from several campuses, and

included such phrases as-"Totally

dedicated to the welfare of MISD--

goes above and beyond the call of

duty in performing her job---loyal,

dedicated, efficient, friendly-

Supt. Instruction. When asked to

comment about her 26 years with

MISD, she responded-"It's been an

She is secretary to Elizabeth

Assistant

Cowan of Crosbyton.'

grandchildren.

wonderful!

Watson,

block facing South."

school in barracks lined along the North side of the block. There were heating and bathroom problems, we wore coats and sweaters to keep warm.

Rural schools consolidated with Muleshoe included: Progress, Y.L., Baileyboro, and Longview.

Mrs. Watson stated that during the 1950's and 1960's several changes were made relative to junior high students. In 1950, sixth, seventh, and eighth grades moved into the old high school

In 1955 the junior high school was built for seventh and eighth grades. In 1957, Richland Hills Elementary (Dillman) was built for students kindergarten through sixth

In 1967 DeShazo Elementary School was built, giving the school district two elementary schools. The east wing and gym was also built in 1967.

In 1987, the junior high school was dedicated to Mrs. Watson, and named after her.

Mrs. Watson listed the nine superintendents of MISD since she began her career in Muleshoe, they included: W.C. Cox, Mr. Cunningham, C.W. Grandy, Jerry Kirk, Neal B. Dillman, Harold Horne, Dr. John Fuller, Dr. Laurance Ward, Bill Moore and Tom Jinks as interim three times.

Some of Mrs. Watson's memories go from winding the Maypole in third grade to holding the hand of the eighth grade boy (because of his misbehavior) as they went to the Library. (He is now a successful area farmer.) Also walking with H.S. students to Cobb Field to

Sudan in football, hold great memories for Mrs. Watson.

'As I reflect on these memories, I agree with A.J. Cronin, if I have learned anything in this web of time, it is the virtue of tolerance, of forbearance toward one's fellow men," Mrs. Watson said. "All the material possessions mean less to me now than a glance of love from those who are dear to me."

In conclusion of her speech, Mrs. Watson said, "May I say thank you for the privilege and honor of working in Muleshoe Schools for the past 46 years.

"Today, marks another important milestone in the history of Muleshoe Schools. With the addition of these spacious colorful science rooms, computer lab and library, the learning environment for student will be enhanced.

"Words cannot express my appreciation to former board members, educators, and citizens who honored me in 1987, by naming this building the Elizabeth Watson Junior High. I believe this is an appropriate time to announce that at the end of this school year in June 1992, I will retire from my position in the Muleshoe School.

Mrs. Purdy presented the keys to

experience!" past 26 years. Bette Cowan, daughter of Vivian and Earl Lee, is Cont. Page 6, Col. 1

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INDUSTRIAL FOUNDATION BOARD MEMBERS---Ronald Ashford was re-elected to the Industrial Foundation Board at Tuesday's banquet. Others elected were: Merlin Neel and Rex Harris. Members returning to the board include: Cliff Black, Duane Lloyd, Jay Messenger and Kenneth Henry.



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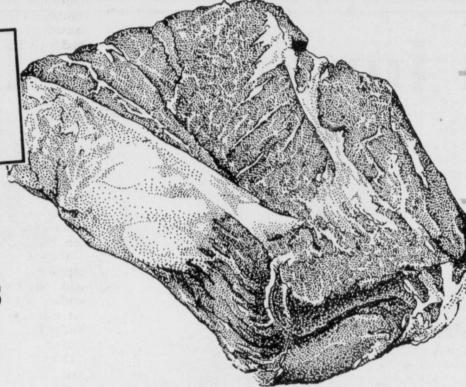
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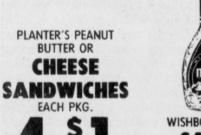


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Valentines Day History & Gift Ideas

"For thousands of years, Valentine's Day has been a time for love, a time for romance, " says Steffan Aletti, president of the New York-based Jewelry Industry Council. "More to the point, it's a time for admitting your affection for that special person--and for demonstrating it."

The ostentation and big spending of the '80's are gone. In fact, overspending and conspicuous consumption are considered unbecoming and even tasteless in the current economic climate. For most of us, it's back to basics, and that means a return to the essence of Valentine's Day: the expression of love to a loved one, as part of courting, or as proof of love for husband or wife.

Hearts and flowers may be permanently paired in the public mind as twin symbols of sentimentality, but fine jewelry makes the ideal Valentine's Day gift. "The beauty of jewelry, "says Aletti, "is that it so elegantly expresses everything a lover wants to express--emotion, value, permanence--and at every possible price range."

A VALENTINE'S DAY **HISTORY**

For thousands of years, February has been considered a special time for lovers and for the exchange of gifts that symbolize love. However, few holidays that have a longer--and stranger--history than Valentine's Day.

Our Valentine's Day is a blend of an ancient pagan fertility festival and a memorial to an early Christian martyr. Thousands of years ago, the pagan Romans honored the fertility god Lupercullus with the "Lupercalia," a celebration which took the form of a lottery in which young boys drew the names of girls as companions for the year.

While this was more a"coming of age" celebration than a revelry of love and sex, the young Christian Church, anxious to erase the stillstrong pagan influence, denounced the Lupercalia as a year-long orgy-

by-lottery.

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Since the early Christian Church consciously absorbed pagan holidays by changing them into Christian holidays, Church fathers decided to create a mid-February Christian holiday to replace the Lupercalia. But what suitable Christian symbol could be found to create a love-oriented mid-February

Enter Pope Gelasius II, who not only knew his Church history but understood human nature and public relations. He found the love link by invoking St. Valentine, an obscure early Christian martyr who made a suitable Christian symbol for lovers.

Valentine was a priest or Bishop who was executed in 270AD for ignoring an edict by Emperor Claudius II forbidding marriage. Claudius, who was by all accounts mad as a hatter, felt that marriage makes men poor soldiers.

Valentine consequently married lovers in secret--an act of sedition for which he was imprisoned, then clubbed, stoned and decapitated. Languishing in jail, he fell in love with his jailer's blind daughter, converted her to Christianity and restored her sight. Before his death, he sent her a love note "From Your Valentine"--history's first Valentine's Day Card.

Now on the face of it, Valentine's unhappy death would seem to be infertile ground for the creation of a happy, love-oriented holiday, but in 496Ad Gelasius created Saint Valentine's Day and summarily outlawed the Lupercalia.

Less successfully, to satisfy the Roman taste for gambling he tried to incorporate the old lottery into an edifying new Christian game: instead of the names of willing girls, youths would draw the names of Saints whose lives they had to emulate for a year. By comparison, "Trump: The Game" was a smashing success.

The Romans tried to please the Church while maintaining a glimmer of the old spirit; they no longer drew names, but instead offered their sweethearts greeting signed "From your Valentine" (anticipating, one presumes, better luck than the historical Valentine). Thus was born the Valentine's Day card.

So lovers celebrating their affection this February 14th, are in fact commemorating jointly an ancient pagan fertility festival and the stoning of a Christian martyr. CLASSIC VALENTINES DAY

PRESENTS What is it about, after all? Valentine's Day is about love, and classically, objects of value have always made the most prized gifts. Indeed, the common thread of all Valentines gifts, past and present, is value and permanence, all

symbolic of love. In ancient times, magical amulets in precious metals and gemstones were prized as lovers' gifts; during the Middle Ages, elaborate courtship ceremonies included gifts of jewelry or coins made into amulets called "benders," because they were bent to keep them from

being accidentally spent. Tokens of mutual love and affection were often symbolic of the uniting of spirits: love knots and bows symbolizing love and marriage, and rings, unbroken circles symbolizing eternity, have long been a pledge of love. In 19th Century England and in the U.S. around the Civil War, polished coins engraved with a beloved's name or initials became known as "love tokens."

The giving of a Valentine's Day gift symbolizes and celebrates love--and jewelry is the ultimate expression of love, because it symbolizes the permanence all lovers seek. That's why for the past few thousand years, in the ancient, medieval and recent traditions, great lovers have given gifts of jewelry to win and hold their loved ones'

Lovers can give "designer" chocolates in heart-shaped cardboard boxes, flowers, or spring for a meal in a fancy restaurant--all perfectly acceptable if unimaginative ways to show love--and not necessarily inexpensive by a longshot. But what we all hope for from love is constancy, permanence, value. Nothing symbolizes these better than jewelry: nonconsumable, nonwilting, permanent.

"Sure, 'say it with flowers'" says Aletti, "or with candies. But prove it with a gift of fine jewelry.'

Searchers for a heart of gold or a bouquet that really says love, will find a wonderful selection of precious metal hearts and flowers, with or without precious gems and diamonds," says Aletti. "Join with lovers from ages past and celebrate your love with a product that symbolizes the depth and permanence of love!"

Enochs News by: Mrs. J.D. Bayless

Lorene Walker and Cladie Mitchel of Boonsville, Ark. came Friday, January 31 for a visit with to see an aunt, Nella Kessler who has been a patient in the Methodist Hospital a month they also visited, the Boyce, and the Clifford Mills visited with them..

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Snitker of Hart visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Snitker Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Inez Sanders and Mrs. Ellen Bayless also visited

Report From Larry Combest

U.S. Representative Larry Combest (R-Texas) has urged the U.S. Secretary of Agriculture to include losses in crop quality when providing 1991 disaster payments to cotton producers. Severe abnormal weather conditions combined with an early freeze have caused cotton remaining in wet. muddy fields to deteriorate rapidly

Senator Phil Gramm Reports

Congress has voted overwhelmingly to extend jobless benefits by 13 weeks for unemployed workers whose coverage was expiring, says U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm of Texas.

"This marks the second extension approved by Congress," Gramm said. "It is a step to help our workers cope with the recession, but it is no substitute for a fullfledged economic recovery program.'

Gramm has urged Congress to pass a broad-based economic package before the March 20 deadline announced by the President in his State of the Union address.

In the interim, he said, "another 13 weeks of benefits will be available to people who exhaust their benefits by June 13.

The current law provides up to 26 weeks of unemployment insurance

in quality. However, current federal disaster aid measures loss only in terms of amount, failing to take into consideration the loss in quality. Combest said that many producers having significant quality crop loss will not receive disaster aid because much of the cotton will be harvested, yet have poor quality.

"Quality equals price, and the quality of much of this cotton is practically worthless," said Combest, who has closely monitored crop conditions. "I have written the Secretary of Agriculture urging him to provide for additional payments to cotton producers suffering quality losses from weather conditions.

Combest's letter is also signed and supported by Representatives Charles Stenholm and Bill Sarpalius. In calling on Agriculture Secretary Edward Madigan to provide disaster aid based also on quality losses, Combest stressed the severity of the problem in his letter:

"For example, in the 19 county area classed alone by the Lubbock, Texas cotton classing office, over 20 percent of cotton bales classed thus far has been classed 'spotty' or 'below grade' and will be

rendered practically worthless." The percentage of poor quality cotton is usually only three percent in years where weather conditions are normal at harvest



Bits of teak wood more than 2,000 years old have been found in In-

ENMU To Host Speech Contest

Eastern New Mexico Unive has again been selected to host the New Mexico Activities Association's State High School Speech Championships. Over 300 high school competitors from New

Mexico will gather in Portales,, March 27-28.

There will be 15 different events of competition. Included are humorous and serious duointerpretation and drama, oral interpretation, oratory foreign affairs and two divisions of team

Dr. Anthony B., professor of communication, will serve as tournament director. Critics will be provided by the University community.

ENMU has been the host institution more times than any other institution in the state of New Mexico. Dr. Schroeder has hosted this event 15 years. It is possible that ENMU has hosted it more than 30 times.

For more information, contact Dr. Schroeder at 505-562-2415.

> Why was Cinderella such a rotten football player? Because she had a pumpkin for a coach.

> Teacher: Michael, if the earth is round, why don't we fall off?

Michael: The law of gravity, sir. Teacher: Correct.

Michael: But what happened before the law was



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The Valley Theatre, \$32,000 addition to Muleshoe's business district and a credit to the motion picture industry, will be formally opened to the public Friday night, February 20. Walter Moeller, manager, said Monday.

Construction work on the building was completed several days ago, and workmen now are busy putting the finishing touches to the theatre's interior. The new Valley is on Muleshoe's main street, just south of the Palace Theatre.

Moeller explained that due to government priorities, materials needed for completion of the marquee and a few other minor phases are unavailable. Otherwise, everything is in readiness for the opening.

Dr. Doyle Jackson, of Texas Tech, will be the principal speaker for the Lions Club ladies night banquet to be given in the American Legion Home here in the evening of Friday, February 29.

222 Main

Lion Bill Moore, chairman of the program committee for the event, announced Jackson's acceptance of the invitation to speak this week and also promised further interesting program numbers.

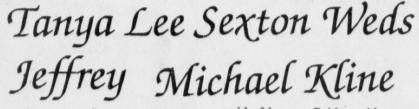
W.T. "Bill" Millen announced to the Journal this week his candidacy for Representative of the 91st District of Texas on the Democratic

Secretary of Agriculture Earl

Butz will be the featured speaker for the 95th annual Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association Convention scheduled March 13-15 in Houston.

1982

The Muleshoe Young Farmers met Thursday at 8 p.m. in the High School Ag Department. Scheduled speaker for the meeting was Joyce Shafer, CPA. Ms. Shafer spoke to the young men, urging their enthusiasm in agriculture, despite the many trials facing farmers at this time.



Tanya Lee Sexton and Jeffrey Michael Kline were united in marriage Saturday, November 9 at 7:30 p.m. at Randolph Air Force Base, Chapel One, in San Antonio.

Officiating at the double ring ceremony was Father Paul Rospond. A reception was held in the International Ballroom of the Randolph Officer's Club following the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Pamela Forman Sexton of San Antonio. She is the granddaughter of Thula Guy Forman of Chicago,

The groom is the son of Jo Ann Angerer Kline of Muleshoe and James Michael Kline of Shoemakersville, Pennsylvania. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kline of Chino Hills, California.

Given in marriage by her family and escorted by her brother, Timothy Sexton, the bride wore a gown of white silk-faced satin and re-embroidered lace designed by Demetrios. The gown, a traditional ballgown silhouette, was fashioned with a sweetheart neckline that dipped to a deep V'd back. The long sleeves were puffed and then tapered to form points over the hands, and fastened with bridal buttons and French loops.

The basque bodice was overlaid with lace appliques and designs of bridal pearls and iridescent sequins. Lace appliques also enhanced the top of the skirt. The full, gathered skirt fell to a hemline of scalloped lace and swept into a cathedral length train.

Three lace pyramids enhanced the front of the skirt and another adorned the train. The gown was heavily beaded with hand sown pearls and sequins.

To compliment the dress the bride wore a white satin Juliet cap accented with rows of pearls hand sown in a Renaissance design with a satin bustled bow attached to the bottom of the cap. The bride also wore a cathedral length veil with an attached elbow length blusher. The veil was trimmed with a rose pattern lace. The bridal cap and veil were both made by the bride's

The bride's jewelry included antique pearl eardrops, given to her by her mother, and a beautiful FM. strand of pearls presented to the stephanotis, English ivy, and ming

PRINCIPAL'S

maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Michele Chauviere of Houston and Ms. Tami Hertel of Houston. The bridesmaids wore full-length evergreen velvet sheath silhouette dresses with off the shoulder portrait necklines made of iridescent green taffeta. They each carried a spray of white roses, baby's breath, and greenery wrapped with green and black satin ribbons.

Scott Kline served his brother as best man. Groomsmen were Todd Jones of Lubbock and Jarrod Embry of Houston. The usher was Lee McMurdo III of Odessa.

Christine Sexton, sister-in-law of the bride, and Ms. Elaine Martinez, both of San Antonio, served as guest attendants. The music for the ceremony included several pieces of classical baroque music as well as a vocal solo of "Ave Maria."

The bride is a graduate of Frankfurt American High School in Frankfurt, Germany. She graduated from Texas A&M University with her bachelor of Business Administration degree in Accounting in May.

The groom is a 1985 graduate of Muleshoe High School. He graduated from Texas A&M University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Aerospace Engineering in 1989. In August 1991, the groom received his Master of Science degree in Aerospace Engineering from the University of Texas in Austin. The groom is currently working for an aerospace consulting firm that does work for organizations such as NASA and McDonnell Douglas.

Following honeymoon in a secluded area of the Rocky Mountains in Colorado, the couple reside in Houston.

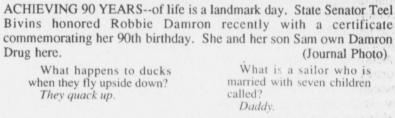
Opera Broadcast February 15

Richard Wagner's "Tannhauser" will be broadcast live from the stage of the Metropolitan Opera House Saturday, February 15 at 1:30 p.m., Eastern Time, over the Texaco-Metropolitan Opera International Radio Network, and will be heard locally over radio station KOHM in Lubbock, 89.1

British soprano Anne Evans will bride by her bridegroom on the eve be heard in her Met broadcast debut of their wedding. The bridal as Elisabeth, with Tatiana Troyanos bouquet was a tear drop design made as Venus, William Johns as with gardenias, white roses, Tannhauser, Andreas Schmidt as Wolfram, and Jan-Hendrik Rootering as the Landgrave. The Sandra Byrne of Houston served as conductor will be Christof Perick,



PRINCIPAL'S AWARD--at Dillman Elementary this month goes to both Janna Skaggs and Gradee Adrian for their posters dealing with concern for the environment, particularly the ozone layer. Principal Grigsby is proud to honor these two young people for their outstanding achievement, behavior and contributions to their community. The two will distribute posters to other campuses in Muleshoe. (Journal Photo)



and the announcer for the broadcast

will be Peter Allen. In the first intermission the popular feature "Opera News on the

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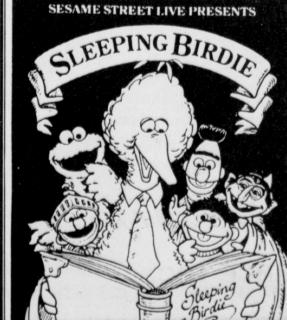
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DISCUSSING JUSTICE--District Attorney Johnny Actkinson, at right, was guest speaker at the February 5 Lions Club meeting. Introducing the attorney to the luncheon group was Dick Pylant, at left. Pylant is a member of Lions.

Johnny Actkinson Speaks To

· Lions On Justice Topics Johnny Actkinson, District

Attorney for the 287th district in Parmer and Bailey Counties was the featured speaker at the Lions Club luncheon meeting held in the Bailey County Civic Center Wednesday, February 5.

Actkinson was introduced to the group by Dick Pylant, Lions member after Frank Ellis led the pledge of allegiance and J. B. Douglas led the invocation.

Next week Bill Moore will speak on school financing. Lonnie Adrian discussed information on an upcoming car show to be held May 1-2 at the Bailey County Coliseum in Muleshoe.

Actkinson started as district attorney when the fine on prosecuting was \$50 and the limit now is \$750, he commented. Actkinson's talk was on community justice plans and councils and the finance division of the justice system.

"Jail space has doubled in the last couple of years," he says. "Inventory control in the prison system has moved down the line from the wholesaler to the retailer,"

We have encountered a situation in which it is impossible to send any offender to the penitentiary until he has broken probation requirements, community service and work release.

We are continuing to send prisoners to the pen, but we have postponed the implementation of the program. We cannot send anyone until they comply with provisions of the community justice plans. A committee determines how to keep prisoners at the local level."

Every local community has work crews capabilities and community work release systems, but we don't have the facilities for permanent incarceration.

Rehabilitation of the prisoners must be emphasized, Actkinson

He encouraged active input on getting a prison system here. He said that agricultural and other types of resources would be an important consideration for those deciding the issue.

"Full medical and full dental care for prisoners is necessary. Prisoners must also be able to learn job skills."

Woodworking and free jail labor on furniture refinishing is a possibility in the present prison system in Texas.

There is a license plate plant, the woodworking factory, the record conversion facilities and the cardboard box factory.

In discussing the work release system that many prisons are using, Dick Pylant of First National Bank here, commented that the cost of such a system would represent a large cost burden to the county. This is because a deputy has to be sent with prisoners who are eligible for work release. It is quite costly to send a deputy on this type of assignment when there is other work for him to be attending, Pylant comments.

Pylant also noted that Congress mandates this changes such as in work release, but they do not fund the budget for them.

Soon prisoners may be working for non profit organizations like churches. Actkinson also mentioned that Sheriff Hicks here is in the process of getting part of his jail converted. He will be in charge of a work release program. He finds that the prisoners appreciate jobs that they can get and don't complain about food.

Lyme Disease Victims and Families Meet

A group of Lyme disease victims and their families and concerned and interested members of the Muleshoe community gathered in the home of Sam and Jean Harlan on Saturday, January 25 at 6 p.m. to attend the organizational meeting of the local Lyme disease support group. Those attending felt the group could lend support, comfort, and aid in the continuing education of the victims and their families and the surrounding communities concerning Lyme disease, the second fastest growing infectious disease in the U.S.

Those attending introduced themselves and their families. A brief history of the victims followed. Victims shared with everyone at the meeting how the disease has affected their individual lives and those of their families. They also expressed their struggles in trying to find medical help in the treatment of the disease.

Plans were made to meet frequently in order to keep everyone informed about each victim and his progress with the disease, and to exchange any new information about the disease as it becomes available.

Those attending the meeting were as follows: Sam, Jean, Barak, Megan and Stacy Harlan; Sheila, Leigh, and Leslie Moraw; Lou Ann, Natasha and Amy Ronek; Glen, Arelia, Lacy, and Laticia Morris; George and Dianne Nieman; Presley and Rena Newton; Bary and Janie Moynihan, Education Director of the First Baptist Church and school nurse for DeShazo Elementary and Watson Junior High; Stacy Conner, pastor of the First Baptist Church; Connie Kenmore, counselor at DeShazo Elementary; Barbara Sanborn and Ranza Boggess, Lyme disease victims, Friona, Texas.

A nationwide monthly publication, Lyme Disease Update Newsletter, is available by contacting owner-editor, Charlene Glover, at: Lyme Disease Update, Route 1, Box 33, Mill Shoals, Illinois, 62962, phone: 618-384-

An annual subscription rate of \$12.00 will ensure one of receiving the 12 page newsletter than contains articles from physicians and veterinarians who are treating Lyme disease patients, stories from individual Lyme disease victims and the 100 plus Lyme disease support groups nationwide, and information on the many seminars on Lyme disease that are being held throughout the U.S. Also, the newsletter contains information on the different avenues of treatments being used for Lyme disease.

Another publication available with an annual donation of \$25 or more is Lymelight, the newsletter from the Lyme Borreliosis Foundation, Inc., P.O. Box 462, Lyme disease research and education.

Anyone interested in becoming a part of the local Lyme disease support group may call any of the names that were listed. By becoming more aware of the disease and what to do it you suspect you might be infected with Lyme disease, you may be able to save yourself some unnecessary worries and get help immediately.



CONTEST HELD--at Coronado High School in Lubbock recently saw several victories for science and math participants from Muleshoe High School. Here winners in number sense were Jose Mendoza, 4th; Gage Tosh, 7th; Douglas Snell, 3rd. In Calculator, Jose Mendoza, 5th; Galin Latham, 4th; Corrie Savuto, 7th and Adam Lopez, 8th. Math winners were Jose Mendoza, 3rd; Douglas Snell, 3rd; Corrie Savuto, 4th; Galin Latham, 6th.



BUYS' VARSITY--basketball team honored at the February 6 Booster meeting includes: (left to right) Eric McElroy, Mark Hicks, Sean Roberts, Michael Hardwick, Corley Hutton, Chris Dominguez and (not pictured) Adrian Pineda, George Torres and Kyle Kenmore. They were introduced by Coach Leon Haggerman who gave highlights of the games. At the meeting Coach Adair gave a short talk then a video featuring players' baby pictures was enjoyed. Parents served refreshments.



GIRLS' VARSITY--basketball team is honored at the February 6 meeting of the Muleshoe Athletic Booster Club. From left to right: Brenna White, Monica Clemmons, Jill Foster, Erin Kelley, Angie King, Chanda Kemp, Kristin Holmans, D'Anne Box, Jenna Glover, and Misty Davenport. They were introduced by Coach Derrick Osborne who gave highlights of the games. (Journal Photo)



SCIENCE WINNERS--at Coronado High School, Lubbock contest recently were LaTonya Payne, 6th and James Rogers, 3rd. Sponsors for the contest from MHS were Gaylord Latham and Susan Noack.

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Diana Harrison and Suzan Wheeler, student council sponsors for Watson Junior High School here announce progress in the many activities of the council.

Recently, the council contributed funds toward purchase of basketball jerseys for the junior high team with money it earned.

Also, the group contributed funds to purchase a refrigerated water fountain for a hall in the school. During Spirit Week the young people involved in student council sell chains for 10 cents.

They also promote Dilly Days during the lunch hours, and are making a great deal of headway with their candy sales. The group also sells art supplies.

President Robby Clapp reports that a meeting is held every Every other Wednesday. Wednesday the student council members are allowed to order from the Sonic Drive-In and teachers pick up the orders for them.

Recently the Student Council went to Lubbock as a group. They also have purchased display cases for trophies for the track record setters there at the school. At Christmas time, the Student Council at Watson adopted a family to which they gave food, clothes and other items. The family had lost its house in a fire.

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They were also accompanied by Emilio Estrada who drove the bus and also acted as a student sponsor. High School students attending were Willie Limas, Rolando Vargas, Ricky Estrada, Rodolfo Nunez, Ritchie Macias, Carlos Guerra, and Adalberto Marquez.

For three days students and sponsors gathered in a retreat setting with approximately 36 other students from schools throughout this region and participated in activities designed for selfimprovement.

Diplomas were awarded to more than 3,100 Texas A&M University graduates during December commencement ceremonies.

The degrees were presented at three separate ceremonies featuring speakers The Honorable Greg Laughlin, Texas' 14th District representative to the U.S. House of Representatives Yoshiyuki Kawashina, senior vice president, chief administrative officer and corporate secretary of Mitsui & Co. (U.S.A.) Inc.; and Wendy Lee Gramm, chairman of the U.S. Commodity Features Trading Commission.

Among those receiving degrees was Sue Michelle Haire, who received a B.A. degree in Psychology.

One student from Muleshoe has been named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the 1991 fall semester at Wayland Baptist University.

The Dean's Honor Roll is announced at the end of each semester. It lists the names of students who earned a GPA of at least 3.50 on a 4.00 scale while completing at least nine semester hours.

The student is Deborah Harding, a senior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lackey

A total of 245 students from Wayland's Plainview, Lubbock, Falls and Hawaii campuses were named to the Dean's Honor Roll at Wayland for the fall semester.

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"We are proud to recognize this dedicated staff member for her many years of excellent service to this community," Moore continued.

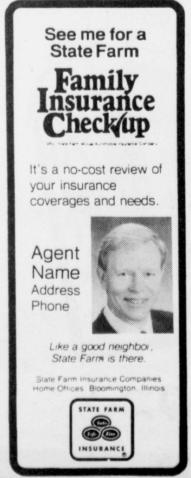
In other action, the board appointed a Career Ladder Committee. Those to serve on this committee along with the school board president, superintendent, assistant superintendent, and all four principals will be Linda Trussell, Christy Phelps and Georgia Penia.

Following the informational

Eight Grade Information Meeting Set

Muleshoe High School will hold an eighth grade parent information evening on Monday, February 17. The meeting will begin at 6 p.m. in the high school cafeteria. This meeting is designed to help parents in understanding high school programs and graduation requirements. Parents, after the meeting, will be able to assist their eighth grade in the registration and four-year planning process for their

high school years. Al Bishop, principal of MHS, urges every parent of an eighth grade student to attend this informative meeting. If you should questions or concerns, please contact Linda, counselor, at 272-





SUNDAY AFTERNOON DEDICATION .-- Mrs. Elizabeth Watson gave the dedication address at ceremonies at Watson Junior High, her name (Journal Photo)



SUPPORT STAFF AWARD RECIPIENT---Cindy Purdy, left, presented Bette Cowan the MISD Support Staff Award for February (Journal Photo)

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RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY---The Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce held a ribbon cutting at Throckmorton Refinishing, which recently opened in Muleshoe. Dan and Millie Throckmorton (center) (Journal Photo) are the owners.

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dinner for four at Leal's Restaurant; James Warren, Crock Pot; Lewis Wayne Shafer, Tea Pot; and W.G. Sanderson, Battery Cables.

Also, C.O. Bryant, 50 Ft. Extension Cord; Bob Byrd, Electric Heater; Bobby Angeley, Handy Vacuum Cleaner; Louise Roark, Thermos Jug; Rickie Warren, 60 Ft. Garden Hose; Nola Trieder, One Gal. Cotton Seed Cooking Oil; B.H. Tucker, Ice Chest; Paul Young, Coffee Maker; Lee Milburn, 4-slice Toaster; Edith Landers, Tow Rope; and W.T. Millen, Mixer.

Also Mrs. R.R. Kindle, Sr., Spotlight; R.R. Kindle, Jr., One Gallon Cooking Oil; Johnnie Martin, Mule Pitching Set; Letha Patterson, Mule Shoe Pitching Set; Bob Dodd, Channel Lox Pliers; Darrel Mason, Flash Light with Batteries; Leon Lewis, Pliers and Holster; Larry Kitchens, Car Wash; Lester Howard, Gift Certificate from Joe's Boot Shop; and Pete Jesko, A.A. Thurman, Maple Butane and C.J. Tiller, \$25.00 AT&T Gift Certificates.

The Needmore Community Club served the noon meal.

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Students Recieve Outstanding Boy's Plague

Rolando Vargas, a senior at Muleshoe High School and Rodolfo Nunez, Junior, were each recipients of plaques naming them as the most "Outstanding Boys" at a Life Management Skills Retreat

Dedication...

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Bob Graves, principal of Watson Junior High. "We are extremely proud of it (the additions) and I would like to thank Superintendent Moore and members of the school board," Graves said. I think it will improve our learning.

In his closing remarks, Moore introduced Bill and Sandy Adling and Buck Johnson who shared in the responsibility for the new facilities. He also thanked the Chamber of Commerce for serving refresh-ments.

held at Floydada, February 7,8, and

They were chosen by a vote of all of the students attending the retreat. There were approximately 36 students from various schools that took part in the retreat for three

This event is jointly sponsored by Region XVII Education Service Center and Muleshoe Independent ?) School District and concentrates on helping participants build a good self-image by understanding circumstances which affect their lives and education.

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NO! IT'S MY BALL---An unidentified Dimmitt Bobcat trys to keep control of the ball as Mules Corley Hutton (left) and Mark Hicks (right) attempt to get the ball away from him. Mark Hicks seems to be screaming at the top of his lungs to get control of the ball.

New Brain Sport "Mathcounts"

For several months, Dick Moore, MATHCOUNTS coach, has been hearing the steady cadence of ciphering in the classroom. Other teachers at Watson Junior High School have noticed it too, and the commotion is not isolated to Muleshoe. In fact, the phenomenon is being noted throughout the 50 states, in four U.S. territories and even overseas in American schools for children of diplomats and military personnel. Everywhere, students are working out for the brain sport called MATHCOUNTS.

"Mathletes" all over America will soon provide pencil-and- paper evidence of what their teachers have suspected--that mathematics can be fun. Innovative problem-solving methods, enjoyable team-centered practice sessions, and spirited 'countdown" rounds are some of the aspects of the national MATHCOUNTS program that have made it a success. Students relish the chance to represent their school at a MATHCOUNTS contest, and teacher/coaches don't mind a bit that while their seventh and eighth graders are enjoying the competition phase of the program, they are also raising the prestige of mathematics achievement among

Watson Junior High School Mathletes will compete against 17 other schools on February 15 at the regional MATHCOUNTS contest at Texas Tech University. That competition is sponsored by the South Plains Chapter of the Texas Society of Professional Engineers (TSPE). Members of TSPE organize the regional and state competitions in

Enochs News by: Mrs. J.D. Bayless

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Blackstone visited Mr. and Mrs. James Bridges at Levelland and their son, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Blackstone and baby Seth of Odessa met them there at the Bridges for a visit.

Texas each year. They are supported by volunteers and a generous grant from NationsBank.

Several top teams from each regional contest will advance to the MATHCOUNTS Competition in Austin, March 28. The top ten individual scorers will each earn a \$1000 scholarship to the University of Texas at Austin. Teacher/coaches of the top six teams at state will receive gifts of \$1000 each from an anonymous Texas MATHCOUNTS donor.

In addition, the top four individual students and top team coach at the state contest will represent Texas at the National MATHCOUNTS Competition in Washington, D.C. May 14-17.

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Economic Problems Forced Closure Of Texas Hospitals small number are converted into

Economic struggles forced the closures of 12 Texas hospitals in 1991, according to the Texas Hospital Association. The 1991 figure marks the state's lowest year-end closure total since 1986.

Since 1980, 133 Texas hospitals have closed their doors. A majority of the closures, 80 percent, occurred since 1985 when annual closure totals jumped from single digits into the high teens.

In 1985, Texas recorded 10 hospital closings. 1986 brought 18 closures and marked the beginning of soaring annual figures: 17 in 1987, a high of 19 in 1988, 15 in 1989 and 16 closings in 1990.

Of the 12 closures in 1991, one facility reopened under new manage-ment after five months. The largest of the year's closings was Lutheran General Hospital in San Antonio, a 248-bed facility. West Texas Hos-pital in Lubbbock was the second largest with 16 beds, and Mesquite Physicians Hospital was third with 156 beds. The remaining nine facilities had less than 100 beds, ranging in size from 88 to

Of the 1991, closures, eight hospitals were in urban areas and four were in rural areas, defined as counties that are not part of a metropolitan statistical area, THD data shows. Of Texas's 254 counties, 57 did not have a hospital at the start of 1992.

"The number or hospitals in operation seems to be reaching a stable level," said Jim Houdek, TDA senior vice president of health care finance. "Now we need to be certain funding is adequate to support the remaining hospitals."

In 1991, the federal and state governments took many steps to help improve the financial outlook, Houdek said.

One major federal change resulted from a Medicare Geographic Classification Review Board (MGCRB) finding that 20 percent of the country's hospitals are underpaid. As a result, 983 of the nation's hospitals were reclassified, entitling them to higher Medicare payments. In Texas, 60 hospitals benefited from the change. The MGCRB is an independent panel named by the secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services to review specific hospital

"Hospital advocates did not select this panel--it was picked by the secretary of HHS," Houdek said. "This is an independent confirmation that hospitals are underpaid."

Medicare geographic reclassiffication, however, continues to be studied, as the payment system resulting from the board's review has harmed more hospitals than those helped, he said.

Instead of allocating additional funds from the Medicare Trust Fund for the reclassified hospitals, Health Care Financing Administration announced its adoption of a "budget-neutral"posture; additional funding for higher payments is obtained by reducing funding to urban hospitals, Houdek said

Federal aid for rural hospitals also has increased through the annual payment update factor, which helps determine Medicare funding. In each of the past two years, there has been a greater payment factor increase for rural hospitals than for urban facilities.

The Texas Legislature in 1991, also took steps to help stabilize hospital finances, including establishing a Medicaid Disproportionate Share Program III for Texas. The program assesses 24 large Medicaid provider hospitals 1.25 percent of non-Medicaid gross inpatient revenues. When approved at the federal level, some \$500 million additional federal dollars will be secured through he state's Medicaid program, Houdk said.

Other changes approved by the Texas Legislature include extending Medicaid benefits to children in families with incomes less than 100 percent of poverty; easing limits on the length of hospital stays for children; requiring Medicaid coverage of Medicare premiums, deductibles and coinsurance for certain Medicare beneficiaries; and allocating \$99.8 million in state funds to restore 1986 cuts in hospital and physician Medicaid reimbursements. Approximately 60 percent of those go to hospitals.

Although Medicare and Medicaid reimbursements have improved, hospitals continue to be underfunded, Houdek said. In 1991, Texas hospitals lost approximately \$926 on every Medicaid patient treated, according to DataPulse,

THA's state-wide data base of more than 200 participating hospitals' performance indicators.

Once hospitals close, only a another type of health care facility, according to a study from Trinity University in San Antonio.

In Texas communities where a hospital closed, residents often expressed interest in converting the building to an alternate health care facility, the survey showed. But in almost one-half of the cases studied, no attempt to concert was

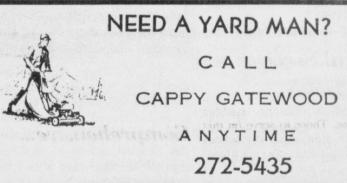
made. Of the 41 communities surveyed. 13 closed hospital buildings were converted into another type of health care facility. Two were used for non-medical purposes, and the remaining 26 were not being used. the university study showed.

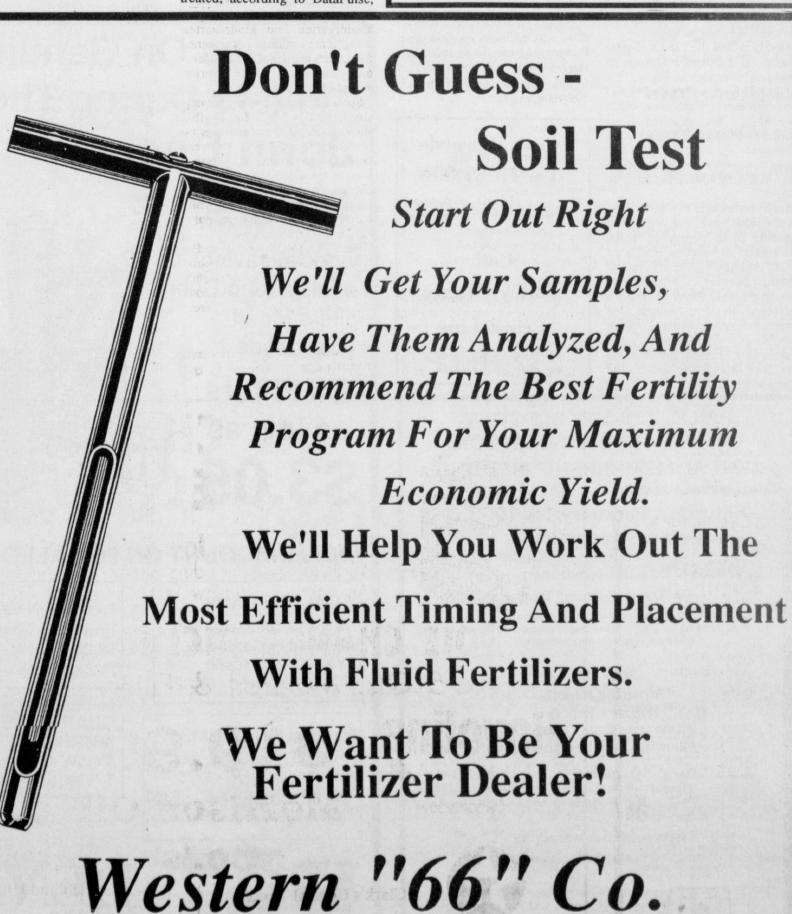
THA, an Austin-based trade association represents the collective interests of its members regarding public policy, and services as the advocate for legislative and regulatory issues affecting the health care industry.



SHOOTING FOR TWO MORE---Kyle Kenmore shoots for two more points against Dimmitt in a district game played in Watson Jr. High Gym last Tuesday. In the background are two Bobcats moving in to keep Kenmore from scoring. (Journal Photo)

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YING TO ADD TWO MORE POINTS --- D'Anne Box tries to add two more points to the Lady Mules score during their district game against the Dimmitt Bobbies. The Lady Mules were unsuccessful in their endeavor to overpower the Bobbies. (Journal Photo)

Methodist Hospital To Sponsor Workshop

The Lubbock Methodist Hospital System (LMHS) is sponsoring a workshop on the new Medicare payment system, Resource Based Relative Value Scale (RBRVS), for physicians and their staff on March 3, 1992, at the Lubbock Plaza Ho-

The Practice Management Institute of San Antonio developed this workshop in response 5to the most far-reaching changes to the Medicare program in 25 years passed by Congress and implemented by the Health Care Financial Administration (HCFA). These chang-

Ofelia Gonzales **Funeral Services** Held Today

Funeral services for Ofelia Gonzales, 58, of Earth will be at 11 a.m. today in St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Church of Earth with the Rev. Pat Maher officiating.

Burial will be in Earth Memorial Cemetery under direction of Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Gonzales died at 12:16 p.m. Sunday in Lubbock's University Medical Center after an illness.

She was born in San Perlita and moved from Raymondville to Earth She married Raul Gonzales on October 26, 1952, in Littlefield. He died in 1974. She was a homemaker and a member of St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Church.

Survivors include two sons, John of Springlake and Lupe of Earth; a daughter, Elena Monreal of Sudan; her mother, Marcelina Garcia of Earth; three sisters, Rosie Porras of Earth, Juanita Camacho of Levelland and Elena Reyna of Raymondville; five brothers, Joe Garcia, Preston Garcia and Abraham Garcia, Jr., all of Earth, Lupe Garcia of Littlefield and Delfino Garcia of Wauchula, Florida; and nine grandchildren.

es also include the new "Cpt-4" coding system.

According to William D. Poteet, III, FACHE, president/CEO of LMHS, these changes in the reimbursement and coding systems leave many unanswered questions for physicians and their staff members who must deal with these new regulations.

"Methodist Hospital is committed to providing continuing education on these pertinent issues," Poteet said. "Managing a physician's practice can be difficult task. Hopefully, this seminar will answer the many questions that will arise over these two vitally important topics."

The conference will be conducted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and the cost is \$65 per person. However, physicians and their staff members on the medical staff at Methodist Hospital and its 15 affiliated regional hospitals may attend the seminar at no charge.

Space is limited, and reservations will be taken on first-come, first-served basis. To make reservations or for more information, call Debby May or Kay Furr at (806) 795-7600, ext. O.

Cash Rewards Up To \$1,000 For Information!

Call **Bailey County** Crime Line **272-HELP**

BAILEY COUNTY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Saturday, February 15, 1992 Morton Activity Center

(From red light, 1 block South & 1 block West)

9:00 a.m.-Registration

10:00 a.m.-Meeting Begins

A barbecue, chicken & fish meal will be served at noon to all guest and to all members and their families. Registration begins at 9:00 a.m. (you must register to get a meal ticket)

Business meeting will include:

Financial Report Progress Report * Election of Directors from District #4, #5 & #7 The following have been nomiated:

DISTRICT#4 Ronnie Barrett Jerry Nichols

DISTRICT #5 Nelson Carlisle W.D. Simpson

DISTRICT#7 Raymond Lewis Faye Seigler

MAKE PLANS TO BE PRESENT AT YOUR COOPERATIVE ANNUAL MEETING

*NO'rE: If you are a member of shareholder of a company, corporation or civic organiztion, and you are acting as a voting delegate, you must present a letter of authorization at the registration table signed by the president and secretary of that organization.

'92 Ft. Worth Stock Show **Had Record Attendance**

A banner year was charted by the 96th annual Southwestern Exposition and Livestock Show which closed its 17-day run Feb. 2 at the Will Rogers Memorial Center in Fort Worth.

Attendance at the Stock Show was a record 813,100, which included a peak crowd of 144,593 in the Will Rogers Coliseum for the World's Original Indoor Rodeo. Another high mark was the more than \$6 million brought by buyers in the Stock Show's 14 cattle, horse, llama and junior champion

The grand champion steer brought a near record of \$50,000 on a top bid by Winn-Dixie Texas Inc., a supermarket chain called "The Beef People" which operates 81 stores in North Texas and Oklahoma. The champion was shown by 17-yearold Lea Bernsen of Robstown in the European Crossbred class.

Reserve grand champion steer, owned by Mindy Ballard of Rochester, was bought for a record price of \$32,000 by the bid team of Comerica Bank Texas, Walker Financial Corp., National Health Insurance and Haynes and Boone Law Firm of Fort Worth and

Severiano Pineda Funeral Services Held Wednesday

Funeral services for Severiano Pizarro Pineda, 75, of Amarillo were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Immaculate Conception Catholic Church with the Rev. Pat Maher, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Muleshoe Cemetery under direction of Ellis Funeral

Pineda died at 3:08 p.m. Sunday in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo after an illness.

He was born in Mexico and moved to Amarillo two weeks ago. He married Flaviana Borjas in 1933 in Mexico. She died in 1986. He was a farmer and a Catholic.

Survivors include two sons, Porfirio Alderete of Mexico and Manuel Pineda of Muleshoe; two daughters, Merced Michel of Moriarty, N.M., and Maria Cano of McIntosh, N.M.; three sisters, Leonor Pineda and Natividad Pineda, both of Mexico, and Antonia Pineda of Chicago, Ill.; 21 grandchildren; and 17 grandchildren.

The top buyers were associates with the Forth Worth Stock Show Syndicate, a dedicated group of area business leaders who banded together to purchase 201 of the 213 animals offered in the Sale of Champions from the junior show

for a total of \$560,000. Another group involved in the junior show sale was the Agricultural Development Fund, founded in 1945 to assure above market prices for the young exhibitors. This year the Fund's support amounted to \$120,000.

Reigning All-Around World Champion Cowboy Ty Murray of Stephenville, Texas, was the top two-event contestant in the World's

Letter To The Editor

January 31, 1992.

Bailey County Journal 304 West 2nd

Muleshoe, Texas 79347

Dear Editor:

As we embark on a new year and reflect on the state of our fellow man, we might ask ourselves how can I affect positive change in the world around me. One might think a positive change in an insurmountable task considering the state of the economy, the plight of the homeless, the drug and gang wars and the environment. However, there is one thing we can all do that has a profound impact on our fellow man. That one thing is, to make the decision to donate organs and tissues upon one's death. It is easy to do, doesn't cost anything and won't take much time out of your busy schedule. The benefits of this decision is overwhelming. It can virtually save the life or enhance the quality of life for your fellow man. So please as we make our new year resolutions let one be the decision to donate organs and tissues and let your loved ones know of your decision. It's one new year resolution that can be easily

> Sincerely, Ron Ehrle, RN, BSN, CPTC Regional Director LifeGift of West Texas

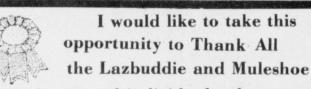
Original Indoor Rodeo, pocketing \$10,342 in bareback and saddle bronc. Event winners included Jerry Jetton of Stephenville, calf roping; Ivan Teigen of Camp Crook, S.D., steer wrestling; Clint Corey of Kennewick, Wash., bareback riding; and Mindy Morris of Seymour, Texas, Invitational Ranch Girls Barrel Race.

Commenting on the recordbreaking show, Stock Show President and Manager W.R. Watt Jr., said, "The Stock Show is a

tremendous undertaking, and could not succeed without the special talents provided to us by a great number of people who did a firstclass job, which included extending a warm welcome to the thousands of visitors. We appreciate the continued financial support from hundreds of individuals, organizations and businesses within our community who contributed greatly to our success."



BALLET ANYONE---Varsity Mule Mark Hicks goes up for an attempted lay-up against a Dimmitt Bobcat in last weeks district game. Mark seemed to be practicing his ballet instead of playing basketball.



merchants and individuals who contrubuted to the LAZBUDDIE BUYER'S CLUB! I would also like to Thank the LAZBUDDIE BUYER'S CLUB

for for purchasing my Grand Champion Steer at the Parmer County Livestock Show! I really a do appreciate it!

Thank you,

Lori Lori Bradshaw

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> Mark - Mary Ann 272-4296



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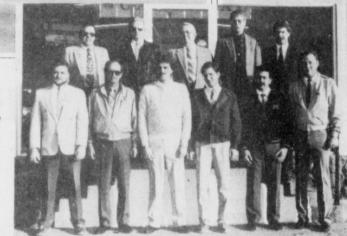
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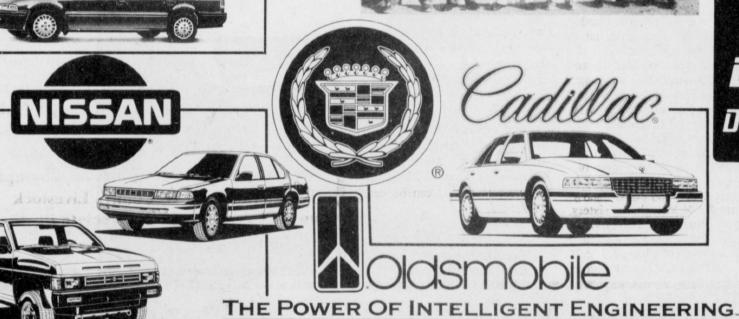


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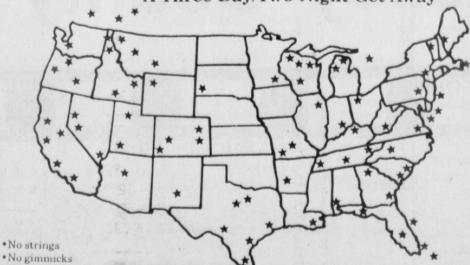
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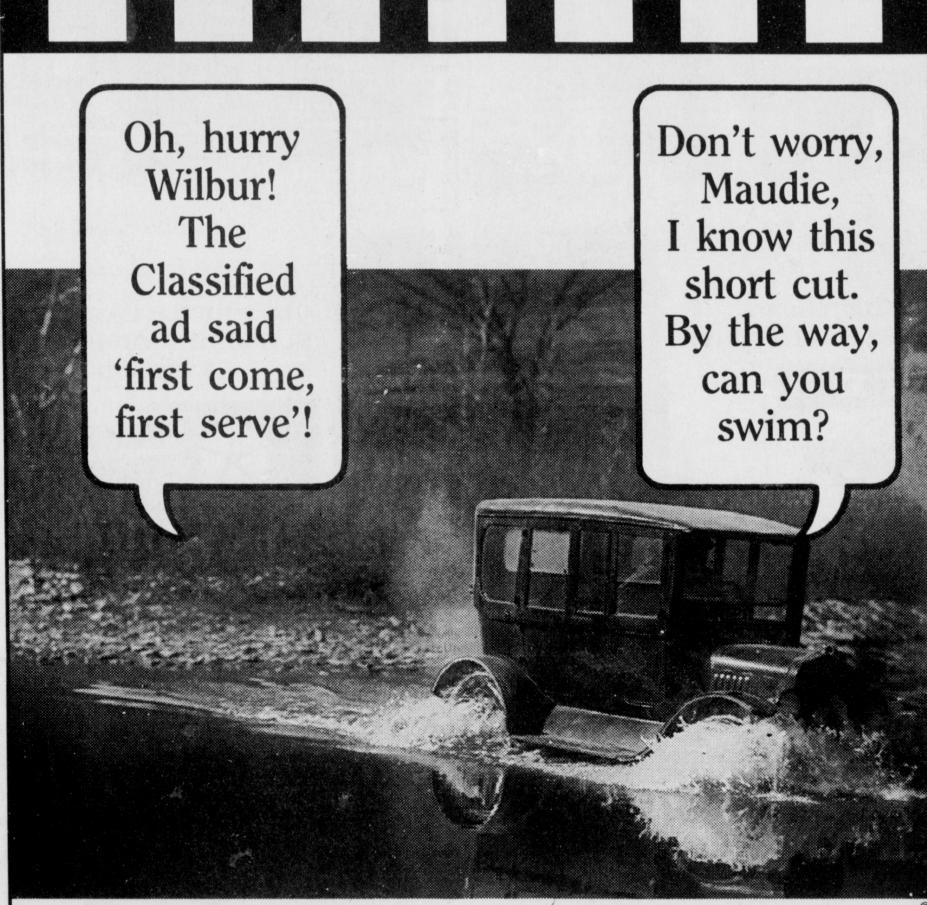
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I. Personals

CONCERNED About Someone's Drinking? HELP IS **AVAILABLE** through Al-Anon Call 272-2350 965-2870 or come to visit Tuesday and Thursday nights, 8:00 p.m. & through AA call 965-2870 or come visit Tuesday hights, 8:00 at 620 W. 2nd, Muleshoe.

3. Help Wanted

WANTED: Applications are being accepted for part-time sales-clerk. Apply in person at the Muleshoe Fina. 102 West American Boulevard.

13-7t-4tc

POSTAL JOBS **MULESHOE AREA** \$23,700 per year plus benefits. Postal carriers, sorters, clerks. For an application and exam in-

formation, call 1-219-736-9807, ext. P8265- 8 am to 8 pm, 7 days. C3-5s-6t

We'll pay you for easy tabulating work from home! Up to \$106.00 paid daily. Call 1-900-976-7377 (\$1.49 min/18 yrs.+) or write: PASEE-R883, 161 S. Lincolnway, N.Aurora, IL 60542 3-5s-6tp

4. Houses For Rent

*** FOR RENT: 2 bedroom house. Deposit required. Call 272-3767. B4-6t-3tc

5. Apts. For Rent

APARTMENTS FOR

RENT: Good location, 1 or 2 bedroom, furnished or unfurnished. Water paid. 272-7575 P5-1t-tfc

11. For Sale Or Trade

GRASS SEED: W.W. Spar, High PLS; Will deliver quantities. 1-800-685-7592 F11-7t-7tp

For Sale: Round Bale Hay-Grazer. \$20.00 each. 481-9946. Located South of

Muleshoe. K11-1s-tfc

300 GOOD COWS FOR SALE: CALL 505-763-6922 **BRED AND PAIRS** S1-1t-tfc

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.15. Misc.

after 6 p.m

*** CONNIE'S CLASSY CANINES

Dog Grooming by appointment. Mon.-Fri. Pick up & delivery except on Tuesdays/\$2.00 extra! 272-3167 C15-6s-3tp

FOR RENT: Large Self Storage rooms with 24 hour a day access. Call J&J Self Storage at 272-4307. S15-1t-tfc

FOR RENT Gold, Silver, Glass & Brass items for all your special occasions! Special Moments Call 505-482-3857 after 5 p.m. for an appointment. S15-52t-tfc

8. Real Estate

FARM FOR SALE: 1281 acres, eight irrigation wells, good water, underground lines, 900 acre grain base, home, steel barn, pipe

corrals, price reduced, owner finance part. 10 miles north of Hereford. (409)543-5636

H8-4t-8tc

*** FOR SALE: 328 acres in the Stegall area, 272 acres in the C.R.P. Program, 5 years left on the contract. Call 272-3007. W8-5t-tfc

FOR SALE: 177 Acres. good dryland, good allotments. Near Circle Back. 55,000.00

272-4622 K11-49s-20tc

3-2-2 Brick Home, Central Air and Heat, Large Storage Bldg. / Workshop, Brick Fireplace, Large Fenced Backyard, Built-ins. Country Club Addition.

272-4887 S8-6t-tfc

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272-4887 S8-6t-tfc

A Straw "Now, Harry," asked e teacher, to what the teacher, family does the whale

belong?" don't know," replied Harry. "Nobody in our neighborhood has Lantern by Cory Welch

> rolls on, out into the straight and long path.

They wait on the shoulders of the great, smooth road.

Nursing

home News

by: Joy Stancell

Melvin Griffin and Buster Kittrell

hosted men's coffee time Tuesday

morning. Mr. Kittrell brought a

Lona Embry and Nancy Kidd came

Wednesday morning. Nancy played

music for us to exercise by. Nancy

also brought her bell collection to

show us. Lona brought all of us

The Family Support Group will

meet Monday February 10 at 7

p.m. in the Healthcare Center's

Lib King returned to the Healthcare

Center Tuesday after being

hospitalized in the local hospital.

Welcome back, Mrs. King. We

Minnie Pettyjohn is in the local hospital. We would appreciate

Chubby Douglass gave Pulma

Walker a new perm this week.

RICHLAND HILLS

PRICE REDUCED-IMMACULATE 3-2-2

Brick, Cent. A&H, built-ins, newly remodeled

kitchen, FP, sunken lv, area w/cathedral ceiling,

3-2-2 Brick, Cent. A&H, built-ins, FP, fenced

3-3-2 Brick, Cent. A&H, built-ins, FP, Spklr.

3-3-1 CP HOME, Cent. A&H, built-ins, FP,

spacious lv. area, loads of closets & storage, cov.

MOTIVATED SELLER WILL PAY ALL

CLOSING COSTS PLUS \$1,000 DRAPERY

ALLOWANCE--3-2-2 Brick, Heat Pump, built-

Nice 3-2-1 Home, built-ins, heat pump, fans,

storm windows, & doors, workshop-storage,

PARKRIDGE-IMMACULATE 3-2-2 Brick,

Heat Pump, built-ins, FP, nice finished

basement, cov. patio, insul. & wired st.-work-

HIGH SCHOOL

Possible Owner Financing 3-1-2 Home, wall &

JUST LISTED-IMMACULATE 3-2-2 Brick,

Heat Pump, built-ins, whirlpool, 2200' + 1v.

area, loads of storage, large shop-storage, fenced

NICE 3-2 Home, nicely remodeled, heat pump,

built-ins, carpet, fenced yd., storage bldg. &

NICE 3-2-1 Brick, Cent. A&H, built-ins, fans,

3-3 Bdrm. Brick Homes-FmHA financing to

2-1 home, nicely remodeled kitchen & den,

Cent., heat, fenced yd., large garage-shop, \$20's!!

NICE RESIDENTIAL LOTS/\$5,000 UP.....

patio, fenced yd., 2 st. bldgs.!!!!

ins, FP, fenced yd. & MORE!!!!

fenced yd., & more. \$30's!!!!!!

yd. \$70's!!!!

more!!! \$20's!!!!

st. bldg., fenced yd--\$30's!!!!

qualified Buyers, Priced to Sell!!!!!

shop, fenced yd. GREAT VIEW!!!!!!

floor furnace heat, evap. air, \$18,000!!!!!

sys., storage-wkshp., fenced yd. Mucff more!!!!

ceiling fans, earthtone carpets, storage!!!!!

your prayers on her behalf.

treats from her trip to Arizona.

Conference Room.

missed you.

8. Real Estate

116 E. Ave. C.

yd., \$50's!!!

guest for the occasion.

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anyone

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having wealth and taste. Each gear runs

smooth and tight, as they're oiled each day.

The engine churns onward, running cold and hard.

Its heavy armor shields it from all the beasts, holds fast in defense, the

temper never

lost.

do.

blood is petro, in the master mold.

Flows into the gaping maw, all creatures

Where fresh poured

Mind is wired. its force made exhaust, another chokes.

Tongue comes out only to be split into forks.

It's never too late to quit smoking. Call 1-800-4-CANCER

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20. Public

Notice

I, Earl Parish, Jr. am no

longer responsible for

debts other than my own

as of February 10, 1992.

NOTICE OF INTENTION

TO ISSUE CITY OF

MULESHOE, TEXAS,

CERTIFICATES OF

OBLIGATION

TAKE NOTICE that the City

Council of the City of Muleshoe,

Texas, shall convene at 8:30

o'clock A.M. on the 3rd day of

March, 1992, at its regular meeting

place in the City Hall, 215 South

1st Street, Muleshoe, Texas, and,

during such meeting, the City

Council will consider the passage

of an ordinance authorizing the

issuance of certificates of

obligation in an amount not to

exceed \$800,000 for the purpose of

paying contractual obligations to

be incurred for (i) the acquisition of

land for a correctional facility, (ii)

constructing improvements and

extensions to the City's combined

Waterworks and Sewer System and

(iii) professional services, such

certificates to be payable from ad

valorem taxes and a limited pledge

of the net revenues of the City's

combined Waterworks and Sewer

System. The certificates are to be

issued, and this notice is given,

under and pursuant to the

provisions of V.T.C.A., Local

P18-7t-4tp

Top Ten Songs For The Week

NATIONAL AWARD SHOW HELD IN, TEXAS

THE 1992 indie bullet award show was held in Tyler at the Tyler Inn & Conference center on Jan. 18th. Roy Haws, editor of INDIE BULLET magazine, organized the event. BUD FISHER, promotions director for the C.M.A. of Texas attended the showman interviewed all the winners. TOP MALE VOCAL-IST went to CHAD SHELDON. TOP FEMALE VOCALIST went to SANDRA BROWN, TOP VO-CAL GROUP went to BLACK TIE, TOP DUET AND TOP ACT OF THE YEAR went to MOORE & MOORE, a female duet that performed and stole the show at the awards banquet. THE INDIE BUL-LET is a national trade magazine, based in Texas that charts independent label music in the country music industry. It was great honor for the state of texas to be the sight of this years awards. THE COUNTRY MUSIC ASSN. OF TEXAS is always eager to help new rising stars on independent labels throughout texas, for more information write to C.M.A. of TEXAS AT PO BOX 505, SALADO, TX 76571

Bailey County Political Calendar Bailey County Sheriff Jerry Hicks County Commissioner Precinct 1

Marshall (Catfish) Williams Herman Morrison Butch Vandiver Albert Lee

County Commissioner Precinct 3 Joey Kindle **Bailey County** Attorney Luther Thompson **Bailey County** Tax Assessor Kathleen Haves

State Representative District 85 James E. "Pete" Laney

8. Real Estate 8. Real Estate

Bingham & Nieman Realty

8. Real Estate

George Nieman, Broker

272-5286 272-5285 HIGHLAND AREA 3-2-1 Brick, Cent. A&H, built-ins, FP, Fenced

yd. 2100+ lv. area, fenced yd., & st. bldg. MAKE OFFER!!!!! *** 3-2-1 Home, wall furnace, window evap. fenced

yd. \$20's!!!! LENAU ADD. 3-2-1 + 2CP HOME, storm windows & doors,

built-ins, fans, MUCH MORE!!!!! Nice 4-2-2 Carport Home, Cent. A&H, built-ins,

FP, Cent. Vac., Office, Sewing area, fenced yard.

3-2-1 CP, heat pump, heated pool, fenced vd. storage bldg., \$30's!!!!!!!

NICE REMODELED 3-2-1 Brick, Cent. heat, built-ins, MUCH MORE. \$30's!!!!

JUST LISTED 3-1 1/2-1 Home, Cent. heat, evap, air, nice carpets, cov. patio, fenced yd. st. 3-2-4 Carport home, 29 acres on pavement close

to town with hog barns & MORE!!!

VERY NICE 4-2-2 Brick Home on 6 ac., Cent. A&H, 2300'+lv. area, storage-shop bldg., MUCH MORE!!!!!!!!! 70's!!!

3-2-3 Carport Home on 11 ac. edge of town, Cent. A&H, built-ins, cellar, barns& corral.

MAKE OFFER!!!!!!!!! ***
3-2-2 carport Brick on 2 acres at edge of town, possible owner financing. \$30,000!!!

NICE 3-2-1 home on 1 acre close to town, Cent. Heat, Evap. Air, Nice Carpets, Remodeled.

NICE 3-2-2 Brick on 1 ac. tract of hwy. close to town, Cent. A&H, built-ins, fenced yd. & more!! Make Offer!!!

RESTAURANT BLDG. LAND., & Equipment-A GOOD BUY!!!!!!! *** GYMNASTICS STUDIO-BLDG., & Equipment

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Way area. Reduced. \$225 per acre!!! PLEASANT VALLEY--141 ac., 8" well, tile, 3-3-1 Brick large shop, barn!!! AND 160 acres, 8" well. Lindsey circle, domestic well, on pavement!!!!!!!!! ***

354 ac. S. of city, good allot. & yields!!!!!!!!!

government Code, Subchapter C of Chapter 271. Mary Hicks City Secretary, City of Muleshoe, Texas C18-7t-2tc(T)

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HENRY REALTY

111 W. AVE. B

Muleshoe, Tx. Just Listed-2 bedroom, 1 bath, carport, large utility

room and large storage attached. Carpet. Highland Addition. \$20,000.00

Spacious 2 bedroom, 2 bath with one car garage. Firepalce. Ready to move in.

New listing-2 bedroom, 1 bath, redone for qualified buyer.

bedroom, 2 bath, carport, spacious home outside city limits near city on highway. Lot is 85'x402'. Metal building is 29' by 40'. Great setup for workshop.

FOR LEASE-3 bedroom, 2 bath, carpet, spacious living area, fenced yard. Near high school. COMMERCIAL PROPERTY

Ideal location on West American Blvd. 150' highway frontage. A great business opportunity.

Brick veneer restaurant 150 seating. Over 5000 sq. ft. with modern equipment. Ready for operation. Located on U.S. Highway 84 in Muleshoe. 7,000 sq. ft paved parking. Excellent financing available for qualified buyer.

West American Boulevard 150' frontage. Priced to sell. LAND

150 acre irrigated farm with sprinkler on highway NW of Muleshoe. Allotted acres with good yields. Two wells. Corners are in CRP. Owner financed.

MULESHOE AREA

Mid-Winter

Henry

Insurance Agency,

Inc.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY SHOPPING GUIDE

CARNE GUISADA Stew Meat Mexican Style Beans, Rice and Corn

Tortillas

with Flour Tortillas \$4.30

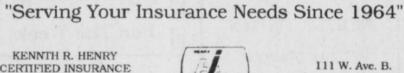
Closed Mondays

Leal's Restaurant

1606 W. Amer. Blvd.

272-3294

COUNSELOR REAL ESTATE BROKER



111 W. Ave. B. Phone 806/272-4581 Muleshoe, Tx. 79347

Seduction Cake

package (6 ounces) semisweet chocolate chips cup chopped pecans box (18.5 ounces) chocolate butter cake mix

cup water teaspoon vanilla extract box (31/2 ounces) instant chocolate pudding

272-5345

272-5536

carton (8 ounces) sour

Coat chocolate chips and pecans in a spoon or two of dry cake mix. Mix remaining ingredients together and fold in chocolate chips and pecans. Pour into a greased and floured bundt or tube pan. Bake a 350° for 50 minutes. Serves 16.

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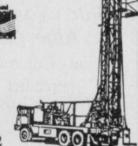
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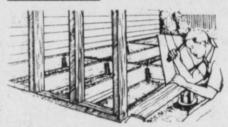
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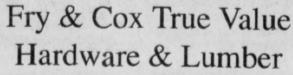
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